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7 June 1960

MEMORANDUM FOR: Special Assistant, Research and Reports

THROUGH: Chief, Geographic Research

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SUBJECT: Contact with [REDACTED] 25X1X7

- 25X1X7 1. In accordance with arrangements made through your office, I met with [REDACTED] on the afternoon of 2 June 1960. The meeting was held in the office of [REDACTED] was present throughout our conversation. 25X1A9a
- 25X1X7 2. [REDACTED] was in Washington for the SEATO meetings and was taking advantage of his presence here to have discussions with selected CIA personnel interested in [REDACTED] area of responsibility. For me the occasion was a pleasant renewal of my acquaintance with [REDACTED] in 1952-53. 25X1X7
- 25X1X7 3. [REDACTED] expressed interest in our atlas of Communist administrative units in China, indicating that he had not seen it previously. It was agreed that a copy of the atlas would be sent to [REDACTED] delivery to be made through the DD/I representative, [REDACTED] It was further agreed that, in the future, copies of our finished intelligence issuances dealing with [REDACTED] area of interest would be made available to [REDACTED] through [REDACTED] 25X1A9a 25X1X7
- 25X1X7 4. The remainder of our meeting consisted of brief discussions of the following topics of mutual interest:
- a. The philosophy, content, and format of the Geographic Intelligence Memorandum as an intelligence issuance. 25X1A9a
- b. The nature of [REDACTED] and his relations with [REDACTED] 25X1X7
- c. New sources of topographic information on Southeast Asia. Specific mention was made of [REDACTED] activities in Laos and of SEATO tank reconnaissance in Thailand. 25X1X7
- d. Forthcoming expeditions in Nepal.
- e. The voyage of the KAREL DOORMAN to West New Guinea.
- f. U.S. topographic mapping programs in Southeast Asia and availability of aerial photography accomplished in connection therewith.

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5. Other than the agreements mentioned in paragraph 3, above, no commitments were made.

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Far East/Pacific Branch, GG

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